CommunityExpress is a pilot SBA loan program that was initiated in 1999. The program includes a specific technical assistance (T/A) component, which the SBA view as critical to the development and success of borrowers.

This program is structured to ensure that borrowers receive appropriate pre - and post-loan Closing technical and management assistance from an SBA approved T/A provider and/or participating lender.

Before contacting one of the approved T/A providers listed below, please take some time and visit the websites of the participating Community Express lenders to become familiar with their respective community Express loan program and approval criteria.

• Business Loan Express: <u>www.blxonline.com</u>

• Innovative Bank : <u>www.innovativebank.com</u>

• Superior Financial Group: <u>www.superiorfg.com</u>

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